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203 Marin Avenue
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Re: Please provide more info re the status of the final determination on the burial of People's Temple victims — Calif

I forward the attached for your consideration.

Your report, in duplicate, along with the return of the enclosure will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

Alan Cranston

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OUR HOME OWNERS ASSOCIATION AND THE PEOPLE OF TAMALPAIS VALLEY STRONGLY PROTEST [illegible] MASS BURIAL OF THE 322 UNIDENTIFIED VICTIMS OF THE PEOPLES TEMPLE MASS SUICIDE WITHIN OUR SMALL COMMUNITY AT THE HARMONY FERNWOOD CEMETERY. THE PEOPLES TEMPLE WAS NOT PART OF OUR LIVES AND THERE IS NO REASON WHY WE SHOULD BE BURDENED WITH THE NATIONAL PUBLICITY INVOLVED, AND POSSIBLY BECOME THE SHRINE OF FUTURE CULTIST ACTIVITY. MANY OF OUR HOMES OVERLOOK THE CEMETERY AND IT IS UNFAIR TO US TO HAVE THIS CONSTANT REMINDER OF THE PEOPLES TEMPLE ATROCITY. INSTEAD, THIS LARGE QUANITITY OF BODIES SHOULD BE PARCELED OUT TO SEVERAL CEMETERIES THROUGHOUT THE NATION SO THAT ANY ONE COMMUNITY DOES NOT HAVE TO CARRY THE BRUNT OF THE BURDEN. PLEASE TAKE ANY ACTION WITHIN YOUR POWER TO STOP THIS GROSS INJUSTICE TO OUR SMALL VALLEY OF 2000 RESIDENTS, AND REPORT WHAT ACTION YOU HAVE TAKEN. WE WILL MOUNT A PETITION DRIVE IF NEEDED. ALSO, PLEASE ADVISE US OF ANY OTHER ATION WE MAY TAKE.

A COPY OF THIS MAILGRAM IS BEING SENT TO ALL OUR COUNTY, STATE AND FEDERAL LEGISLATORS.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP WE LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR ADVICE.

TAMALPAIS VALLEY IMPROVEMENT CLUB
203 MARIN AVENUE
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